Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution Department of Consumer Affairs

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 419 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2020

SUPPLY OF IMPORTED ONIONS

419. SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI: SHRI N. REDDEPPA: SHRI ADALA PRABHAKARA REDDY: SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR BELLANA:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has offered to supply imported onions to State Governments at Rs. 49 to Rs. 58 per kg recently;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the States which have purchased onions from these imported stocks and the details thereof; and
- (d) the total amount spent by the Government on these imports?

ANSWER

उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण राज्य मंत्री (श्री दानवे रावसाहेब दादाराव)

THE MINISTER OF STATE CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI DANVE RAOSAHEB DADARAO)

- (a) & (b): Government had earlier offered/ supplied imported onions at cost price which is now offered/supplied to States at prevailing market/mandi/online portal rates.
- (c) : The details of imported onion supplied to various States/UTs is at **Annexure.**
- (d) : As on 31.01.2020, MMTC has placed a demand of Rs. 226 crore towards imports of onion.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.419 FOR 04.02.2020 REGARDING SUPPLY OF IMPORTED ONIONS.

Dispatch of imported onion to States/UTs

(As on 30.01.2020)

S.No.	States/UTs	Quantity (in MT)
1	Andhra Pradesh	893.18
2	Kerala	49.89
3	Telangana	111.68
4	Uttar Pradesh	211.79
5	Uttarakhand	262.60
6	West Bengal	123.19
7	Himachal Pradesh	120.64
8	Assam	190.27
9	Goa	50.31
10	Jammu & Kashmir	45.71
11	Haryana	218.60
12	Meghalaya	282.59
13	Odisha	48.50
	Total	2608.95

Source: NAFED